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- (1) U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2003/0007621; and
- (2) KRAMER, T., "Standalone Call Accounting: The Hardware, the Software, and the Enterprise", Communications Convergence, March 5, 2001, downloaded from

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Further to 37 C.F.R. §1.98 (a)(2)(ii), a copy of the U.S. patent application publication is not enclosed herewith. However, if a copy is needed, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the above material and cite the same. A copy of the above-noted website is attached hereto and both of the documents are listed on the attached PTO-1449 Form.

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